Great Basin Coordinating Group Conference Call Notes

Date: 08/16/2016 Time: 0800 Mountain / 0900 Pacific

Facilitator: Derrek Hartman

Agenda Items:

Predictive Services Update: Showers and thunderstorms in the afternoon - Thunderstorms will be a wet/dry mix in northern NV, northern UT, southern ID, and southeastern UT. Thunderstorms will be dry in north central GBC area. Yesterday we saw gust up to 50mph and today there will be brief isolated wind gusts of 30-40mph with the thunderstorms, otherwise winds will be fairly light. Thunderstorms will develop further east tomorrow. Friday with the front winds will pick up in ID around 20-35mph.

Nanette Hosenfeld

GB Coordinating Center Update:

• Light IA. 16 new for 870 acres

• Large Fire Growth: 2,587 acres

National and IA resources within the GB are heavily committed.
 Competition for resources is substantial.

• In the GB: 2 MAFFs, 2 Scoopers, 3 AT, 21 SEATS (1 D/O), 4 loads of Smokejumpers at 3 Bases.

• Helos Committed: 17 T1, 15 T2

Gina Dingman

NMAC:

High Competition for IHC's and Large ATs.

• High Volume of competition for large ATs in the afternoon between GACCs.

• Some of the AT are going o/s for maintenance (2-3 days) and discussing bring in more MAFFS to fill in the gaps.

• Safety stand down for chainsaw geyser? Aug. 21st there will be a fuel handling video.

Jeff Arnberger

Derrek Hartman

Priorities from last night and IC Call:

Pioneer

- Strawberry
- Rough
- Box Canyon
- Briggs
- White Horse
- Shooting

GBCG supports the priority list.

GB MAC: Shad Sitz

Aviation:

 Working on ASAT – 3 members have been filled. Need 2 more positions (1 a Helicopter Inspector/Pilot). They should come together by Friday. 			
	 Shorthaul on Strawberry will be release Thurs or Fri. 		
• IMT's			
 1 - T2 IMT – Available and 1 coming available on Thursday. 			
○ 1 – T1 IMT – Available			
⊠ GBCC		State of Nevada	
GBCG Operation	ons Specialist	State of Idaho	
□ USFS R4		⊠ FWS	
BIA Western Region		NPS Pacific West Region	
BLM Utah		NPS Intermountain Region	
BLM Nevada		MMAC Representative	
BLM Idaho			
BLM Arizona			
State of Utah	A	Notes	
Name Sue Stewart	Agency Update	Notes	
Carlos Nosie Jr.	USFS Region 4: Nothing to Report		
	BIA Western Region: No Report. In Ely as IARR for SW Crews.		
Jessica Wade	Utah BLM: Nothing to Report		
Jeff Fedrizzi	Nevada BLM: FAST team itinerary Pioneer, Cliff Creek, Box Canyon, and		
	Strawberry		
Mike Morcom	Idaho BLM: Good catch – 50 completed taskbooks. Supported for crew rotations		
Kelly Castillo	Arizona BLM: No Report		
Matt Snider	State of Utah: Nothing to Report		
JD Wensman	State of Idaho: Nothing to Report		
Mike Friend	State of Nevada: NDF crews are back - 8 crews available		
Kim	FWS: Nothing to Report		
VanHemelryck	NO		
Steve Sorensen	NPS Intermountain Region: Nothing to Report		
Matt Johnson NPS Pacific West: Nothing to Report			
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